BLOOD WILL TELL.

No Better Way of Determining One's Physical Condition.

Impure Blood Denotes a Disordered System.

How to Gain Health and Purify this Life-Generating Fluid.

Pure blood means good health. Impure blood leads to sickness and death.

Impurities of the blood that can be seen externally, originate in some one of the great vital organs of the body.

When you see a man or woman with a face that is covered with blotches, pimples, or eruptions you may be sure that they are suffering internally from some terrible affection. Such cases on investigation will be found to be most serious.

People who die from impure blood when

found to be most serious.

People who die from impure blood when examined after death disclose the fact that the kidneys had been caten away by destructive ulcerations. The stomachs of such victims are found to be covered with terrible and virulent penetrating ulcers. The liver of such sufferers will have hardened, and will be found to be absolutely disabled so that it was unable during life to perform its functions. Doctors find on examination that the lungs and the heart in such cases have always become affected.

Do not go another day with your blood filled with impurities.

This is the time of year when you can best get rid of such troubles.

Nature is endeavoring to help you discard

Nature is endeavoring to help you discard all obnoxious secretions from your blood. You should help her. Take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and

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Take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

It counteracts the terrible poisons that already exist. It stops their formation. It appels from the body through the natural channels those that are already prepared to create havoc.

It gives health and strength to each and every one of the vital organs.

It cause all of these great life-centres of the damage that has already been done them from these terrible blood poisons, and it gives strongth and a healthy tone to the nerves.

Mr. Lucien Rodd, Whitehall, N.Y., says:

"Some years ago I suffered very greatly tram insomnia, nervous prostration, and my bedy was covered with sores, causing me that pain and annoyance. My head was so severed with sores that I was hardly able beomb it, and to brush it was impossible, so creat was the pain occasioned. I consulted coal physicians without success or benefit. I was told that my disease was incurable, and had about come to the same conclusion myself, and had made up my mind to go to a cepital and await death. At this time I larned of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and save remedy, which I began to use. This mady entirely relieved and cured me, called and dried up my sores, onabled me to sleep soundly and comfortably, and reserved me to my ordinary vigor and vitality; a short, fit made a sound, well man out of the so that I was fully able to work at my compation, and have done so since that time."

The above statement was made voluntarily.

The above statement was made voluntarily ad sworn to and subscribed before the less. Wm. H. Tefft, a notary public residuate at Whitehall, N.Y.

If there is any one who may feel that they have special complications, we would recommend that such avail themselves of Dr. Greene's generous offer and write to him or call on him at his office, 33 W. 14th St., New York City.

The advice that this eminent specialist will give absolutely free will be found to be of untold value.

Be Available at Once.

The authorities at Shurtleff College, Upper Alton, were notified yesterday that a legacy of \$12,000 had been left to the insti-cution by Mrs. Sarah Tucker of Paris, Ill. The news came in the form of an official of the Edgar County Probate Court, and Clerk E. E. Elledge.

the A McKay said yesterday afternoon that the death of Mrs. Tucker occurred several weeks ago, and that the will had just been filed. Doctor McKay also stated that the college would come into possession of part of the funds before the final settle According to President McKay the legacy

nd, of \$75,000, which the authorities ex-ct to raise within the next eighteen to raise within the next eighteer denation of \$25,000 made by John D. Rocke-feller last fall. The income from the new andowment will be applied to the use of the

BOY KILLED BY A STREET CAR Michael Carney Stumbled and Fell on the Tracks.

Michael Carney, 11 years old, living with his widowed mother in the rear of 2828 Sheridan avenue, was run down and instantly killed at 6 o'clock last night by st Louis Transit Company at the corner of

Jefferson and Sheridan avenues.

The boy was employed as an apprentice at the plumbing shop of Edward F. Gardner, No. 2625 howard street, and was on his way home from work when the accident occurred. He was riding in the wagon with his employer, and when the corner of Sheridan avenue was reached he jumped from the website.

the vehicle.

As he struck the street, he stumbled and fell across the car tracks as he struck the street, he stumbled and a across the car tracks. A southbound r was but a few feet away and before motorman could stop, the car struck m and he was dragged several feet. The lek of his head was badly cut and he stained a deep cut over the left eye. Doctor Gundenach of No. 3703 Finney availed who was a passenger on the car, promuced the boy dead when he was removed to Cullinane's undertaking rooms, 232 Dickson street.

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The car was in charge of Conductor T.

J. Young, No. 1229 South Jefferson avenue,
Peter M. Withrow of No. 1812 South Jefferson avenue, was the motorman. The inquest will be held to-day.

COWBOY BAND GETS IN TO-DAY. Going to Washington to Take Part

in Inauguration Parade. "The Oklahoma Cowboy Band" will ar in St. Louis at 7:15 this morning, en te to Washington, D. C., where it will

pate in the inaugural parade on Colonel Zach Mulhall, the general live sock agent of the Frisco, is in charge of the two special cars provided for the thirty-members of the band. He arrived late at night, and when seen at the Planters

Governor C. M. Barnes and former Gover A. J. Seay are among those who will the St. Louis to-day with the band. It their intention to spend the day in St. is. The band will screnade the St. Louis key Club." owboy Band will leave at 8 o'clock vening over the Big Four route for

minent G. A. R. Man Dead. II., Feb. 28.—Samuel Cramer, aged at his home in Taylorville last to was a leading G. A. R. man,

"FOOTBALL EDUCATES SAYS TORPEDO BOATS MAN WHO PLAYS IT."

Dean Briggs of Harvard College **Emphasizes Importance of Game** in English College Life.

LAYS STRESS ON THE ENGLISH. GREAT DANGER OF ACCIDENT.

Would Have His Son First Thoroughly Understand His Native Tongue-Superintendent Soldan's Address at Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 28.-The "football player gets a little culture from his studies; he gets his education from his football," said Dean L. B. R. Briggs of Harvard College in discussing to-day, before the superintendents of the National Educational Association, "Some Aspects of Public School Training."

"By this," he continued, "I mean that work is educational. The whole drift of the present time is to turn work into play and turn play into work. The modern edu-cator thinks that the child's work must be amusing and the athletic trainer knows that the athlete's play must be work. From which arises the kindergarten on the one and and the football game on the other."
Mr. Briggs said further:
"The first lesson of education, in its truest

The first lesson of education, in its truest sense, is to get down to hard work and to do it well. This lesson is education, though it be learned in a mill. Application, concentration, ability to do—these are the results of education. For this reason the business man often prefers the college athlete has done something, and the business man knows that the doing of things is more than a couple of trips. The Governmers was the statement of the sense of the s ess man knows that the doing of things is

a necessity in actual life.

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"I hold that the common school should do as much for the boy in the way of education as does the game of football. The business of the grammar school is not to follow the mind, but to lead it. It should not allow the childish mind to go whither it listeth; it should point a definite path. Drifl, drill and absolute accuracy should be the function of the grammar school. It should lay the foundations on which may be erected the substance as well as the frills of life.

"To this end, I believe that the teaching of the English language is the chief function of the grammar school. Let there be much reading, writing and speaking of the English language. This, with a small amount of mathematics and a little geography, will form, I believe, a suitable foundation for later work, It may be a narrow foundation, but it is better than one so incumbered with the diversions of education that the child can crawl over it but tion that the child can crawl over it but not stand upon it.

"To the objection that the drill is dead-ening, I answer that the child enjoys repe-tition and can stand much more of it than can the adult. I prefer to have a boy of can the adult. I prefer to have a boy of mine use the English language decently, even though he does not have an opportunity to study German in the grammar of our language. I would have the child store his mind with the maxims of the language. I do not believe that the modern slighting of the study of grammar is producing writers of the same perfection as we had in the early days of our country.

Doctor Harris Takes Issue.

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Part of Legacy Left by Mrs. Sarah
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Doctor Harris Takes Issue.

"Sewing for the girls and manual training for the boys are admirable, but they must not take the place of the hard intellectual work, which educates as nothing else can. Frills in education may well be compared to the frills in dress, A frill won't take the place of a warm petticoat."
Doctor William L. Harris, National Commissioner of Education, took issue with Professor Briggs. He said:
"I am thoroughly tired of all the talk about mental discipline. I left Yale College in my junior year because I was disgusted with that sort of thing. It was Latin and Greek—the embryos of all learning. It was so much embryo that nothing was ever hatched. I thought it wrong then and I thing it wrong now. The best education for

hatched. I thought it wrong then and I thing it wrong now. The best education for the child, as for the college man, is that which links the school work with the child's life. That is the education that teaches. "I do not believe that the kindergarten amuses at the expense of developing habits of orderly work. The kindergarten arouses the child to a perception of the life of which he is a part."

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Superintendent Soldan's Views.

Superintendent F. Louis Soldan of St. Louis, Mo., said:

"There has never been a rational course of study formed that did not receive the approval of the grade teachers before it was put into operation. A definite course tells the teachers what is expected and relieves them of worry. It is not practical to leave to the individual teacher the work of making the course, because the child, in passing from one teacher to another, would suffer in consequence of the lack of har mony."

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The convention, which has been in session three days, closed to-night with an address on "The Situation as Regards the Course of Study," by Professor John Dewey of the University of Chicago.

RICHEST MAN IN THE WORLD. Morgan Says That Title Belongs

to Carnegie. Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 28.-The Leader to

An official of the National Tube Compan to-day said that the Morgan Syndicate which is attempting to amalgamate the great steel companies into the United States Steel Corporation, is now bending its ener-gles to harmonizing the different factions Before any further steps can be taken in the matter it will be necessary to make a ratio for the exchange of stock that will not only be satisfactory to both the stockholders and Morgan, but such as will not cause the jealousies of share owners of the other companies, as have the proportions already announced. This matter will be exremely difficult

Mr. Carnegie was finally reired from the steel business last week. He received \$22,-500,900 in cash and holds a lien on his stock for 5 per cent gold-bearing bonds to the value of nearly \$200,000,000. The liens are to be surrendered when the bonds are approved or accepted. Arrangements have been made and accepted by Mr. Carnegie for the giving of certain securities for the sum in case the consolidation should ultimately fail. If this should happen he would be given new bonds of the Carnegie company to the value of \$33,000,000. The halance will have to be provided in some other way.

balance will last other way. When the settlement was made with Carnegie Mr. Morgan told the steel king that he was the richest man in the world. **BILL TO INCREASE SALARIES.**

It Fixes Pay of Members of Congress at \$7,500.

day gave notice of an amendment he will offer to the sundry civil bill increasing the salaries of Senators and members of Con-

WILSON AND LEE RETIRED.

The Order Was Issued at the War Department Yesterday.

sued at the War Department to-day placing Brigadier Generals James H. Wilson and Fitzhugh Lee on the retired list of the

154 Help Wanted Ads Printed in to-day's Republic.

Teamster Crushed to Death. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Columbus, Ind., Feb. 22.—Hugh Stevens was crushed to death to-day under heavy timbers. His wagon, loaded with tics, capsized and threw him under the load.

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ARE DEATH TRAPS.

President of Company That Built Three Declares He Would Not Risk His Life in One.

Craft Are Built According to Government Plans, but None Is Safe, He Says, for More Than Two Trips.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Philadelphia, Feb. 28.-The three torpedo boats, Barry, Chauncey and Bainbridge built by the Neafle & Levy Shipbuilding Company, were denounced to-day by the president of the shippards as death traps and totally unfit for service. He said, further, that he would not risk his life in them

The three boats, which must guarantee speed of twenty-nine knots before they will be accepted, are built according to Government plans, with unusually light hulls and very heavy machinery, Regarding them,

for anything, nor would he go on the trial

President Seddinger said to-day:
"If any defect should develop on the trial
trip it would be exceedingly difficult to remedy it with the boats in the water, owing

ment does not expect them to."

The three torpedo boats which are ready for launching were, according to the Gov-ernment plans, to have been launched simul-taneously. Now it has been decided to launch one first and try it before it goes to sea with a crew. The machinery will be given a very careful test at the docks. It is said the mechanics in the shipyards are afraid of the boats, and may refuse to risk their lives on the trial trip.

GOVERNOR BECKHAM CENSURED

Judge on Bench Declares Executive's Statements Untrue.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 28.-Strong state ments made by Governor Beckham in in-dorsing the pardon he granted Tuesday to Ed Alvey, convicted in the Criminal Court Ed Alvey, convicted in the Criminal Court at Louisville of setting up a game of chance and given two years in the Penitentiary, had an extremely sensational aftermath in the Criminal Court to-day.

Governor Beckham was denounced to the Court by R. C. Kinkend, who was one of the attorneys that prosecuted Alvey, and the executive was the subject of a long address to the Grand July by the Judge of the court, in the course of which he severely censured the Governor, and added: "In so far as it is intimated that this Court has discriminated between one set of gamblers and another, I desire to state to you, upon the honor of a man, that that is untrue."

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untrue."

Judge Barker ordered the entry of the following order:

"Comes R. C. Kinkead, a member of this bar, and moves the Court for the appointment of a committee of not less than five members of the bar of Louisville, whose duty it shall be to fully investigate the insinuation of professional misconduct on the part of said Kinkead in the reasons assigned by the Governor of Kentucky in granting the pardon to Ed Alvey, convicted here on February 25."

GOLF ASOCIATION MEETS.

Officers Nominated and Dates for Tournaments Fixed.

New York, Feb. 28.—The United States Golf Association held its annual meeting to-night, First Vice President John Reid presiding. Delegates were present from twenty leading clubs of the country, which are full members of the association. This ticket was prepared by the Nominating Committee: President, Robert H. Robertson of St. Andrew's Golf Club, New York; secretary, Robert P. Kerr of the Lakewood (N. J.) Golf Club; treasurer, Samuel Heebner, Philadelphia Country Club.

The question fixing the date for the amateur tournament of the United States Association was taken up at the meeting and Mr. Chamfield-Taylor presented a request from the Western Golf Association that the date be fixed later in the season than heretofore, and after some discussion a date was fixed for the second week in September. The tournament will be played at the links of the Atlantic City Country Club.

The Woman's Tournament was fixed for the first two weeks in October at the Baltusrol Club, Short Hill, N. J. The open tournament, which is, in this country, practically for professionals, was set to come off at the Miopyia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass., the date to be fixed by the Executive Committee.

POLO AT WEST POINT.

War Department Gives Game Of ficial Recognition.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 28.—The Government has contracted with C. H. Wolworth of South Omaha for twenty ponies to be used as police ponies at West Point by the cadets. The animals are to be delivered to the Quartermaster at Omaha not later than March 15.

It is stated that this is a new departure and that the War Department is henceforth to recognize polo as the official game at the national military institute.

Chief Quartermaster Hathaway opened bids this afternoon for 400 horses to be used in equipping the new Fourteenth Cavalry to be organized at Fort Leavenworth. The only bids were:

L. H. Hudson, Louisville Ky., 100 head at \$150. John D. Guyton, Lathrop, Mo., bid \$149 straight. The contract will be divided. Delivery will commence in twenty days and is to be completed within ninety days.

MAY GET M. & O. SHOPS. Report That They Are to Be Moved

Rumors were rife in East St. Louis business circles yesterday that the shops of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad in Murphysboro, Ill., may be removed to East St. Louis. Nothing definite could be learned concerning the proposed removal.

Another rumor, which went the rounds, was to the effect that a St. Louis lime and cement company is negotiating for a site on the East Side. Some time ago an East St. Louis firm entered the St. Louis firm intends reciprocating. The advantages of having a warehouse on the East Side, it is said, have been apparent for some time.

Westerners in New York.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Feb. 28.—Hotel arrivals to-day include the following visitors from the West: West:
St. Louis-J. Scullin, A. Douglas, Waldorf; F. H. Littlefield, J. O. Clermont, Fifth Avenue; H. E. Wagoner, W. B. John, Imperial; A. W. Slevin, Park Avenue; T. W. Brumhoff, Murray Hill; J. Autesdel, Vic-Brumnon, Murray Hill; J. Attesdel, Vic-toria; J. F. Sensenbrunner, Astor; W. P. Markle, Grand Union; E. H. McClurg, Ger-ard; E. E. Wangelin, Hoffman; W. F. Donovan, Holland; H. C. McGuire, Empire. Kansas City-Doctor Mott, Continental; W. H. Holmes, Holland; L. N. Cohen, St.

St. Joseph-J. W. Peterson, Imperial. Liederkrans Improvements Ordered At a recent Liederkranz meeting in Kohl's Hall the members ordered a dancing platform and several booths for the new Liederkranz Park. Arrangements were made for the election of new officers at the next meeting.

CONCERT FOR FIRST REGIMENT—At a meeting of the officers of the First Regiment, National Guards of Missouri, last night at the armory, committees were named to arrange for a concert to be given by the Marine Band of Washington when it visits this city on March 29. The concert will be given at the Collseum.

Hog Fat, or a Pure Clean Vegetable Oil ~ which will you use?

Thoughtful, home-making women are giving more attention to healthful food every day. Je That is why they have with open arms welcomed WESSON VEGETABLE ODORLESS



Choicest Farm (Melted) Butter because it is richer, has better cooking qualities, is more conveniently

handled and costs much less. Sold by all grocers. Send 4 cents in stamps for our new cook book.



PASSENGER TRAIN IS WRECKED AND BURNED

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Two Persons Killed and Three Seriously Injured in Accident at Coal Valley, Pa.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 25 .- Two dead, three badly hurt and a passenger train burned is the result of a head-on collision between passenger train No. 16, southbound, and a local freight on the Pittsburg and Charleston Railroad to-night at Coal Valley, five miles from McKeesport. Several of the other passengers received

minor cuts and bruises.

Immediately after the collision the passenger cars took fire and were soon totally destroyed, only one car escaping the flames, The trains in collision were the Union-town Express, southbound, and the local freight coming toward Pittsburg. The local was standing on a siding delivering freight at the time. For some reason, as yet unexplained, the express, instead of keeping to the main track, shot off into the siding and telescoped the other train.

All of the victims were on the capress All of the victims were on the express train, which carried between fifty and rixty passengers. The enginemen of the freight jumped when they saw the collision was in-evitable.

NO AGREEMENT.

Mine Workers and Coal Operators Are Still Far Apart.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 28.—The United Mine Workers and the coal operators are seemingly as far apart as ever on the adoption of a scale of wages. Only two of the operof a scale of wages. Only two of the operators were present at to-day's meeting of the Joint Scale Committee of the State Conference, and the representatives of the miners say that should hey remain away tomorrow they will adjourn and report that an agreement cannot be reached and recommend that the miners prepare a scale to be presented to the operators without going into a joint conference. Should inis ocur and the operators refuse to ratify a scale there is good prospect of a general strike. Neither side shows a willingness to make any concessions at present, and no strike. Neither side snows a winingness to make any concessions at present, and no progress toward a settlement was made to-day. The operators still stand out for the Columbus agreement and the miners for the scale which was made by their convention to the scale which was made by their convention.

Best Lehigh Hard Coal, \$6.95. Superior Co., 302 Century bldg. Tel. B 1720.

CREEK DESPERADO KILLED.

Mob Riddled His Body With Bullets Near Holdenville, I. T.

Holdenville, I. T. Feb. 28 -At 12:30 a m to-day Johnson Miller, a fullblood Creek Indian, was shot to death by a masked body of men. Miller was under arrest for the murder of Herbert McDade on the 22d of

murder of Herbert McDade on the 22d of December last. He was arrested early yesterday morning near Wetumka and brought here pending a hearing before the United States Commissioner.

Last night the officers, fearing trouble, secretly conveyed his prisoner out of town two or three miles and lodged at the farmhouse of Robert Stewart. About forty armed and masked men forced an entrance into the house, disarmed the guards and began shooting at the prisoner at short range.

The prisoner escaped from the house by jumping through a screen door and fled across the yard, clearing a four-foot picket fence at one leap, running 300 yards, where he was overtaken and his body filled with

ead.
Miller was a desperado and had commit-Miller was a desperado and had committed three cold-blooded murders within six months, besides numerous robberies. Sx weeks ago he murdered an old man named Cherry. Last September he murdered Joe Harwood, but his most helnous crime was the killing of young McDade, whom he shot, then built a fire upon the body partially cremating it. The remains lay in the woods undiscovered for seven days. Miller was twice sentenced to be shot by the now defunct Creek Government, but pardoned by the chief, L. C. Perryman.

CONVICT VERSUS FREE LABOR. Kansas House Opens State Mines to Wagon Trade.

GIVE A SMOKER.

Natives of Keystone State Meet to

Discuss Its Famous Men

and Its History. At the quarterly smoker of the Pennsylvania Society of St. Louis last night the

quets from former residents. The smoker was held at the Mercantile Club, and was attended by about fifty members. President George T. Reynolds was in the chair. Professor H. W. Owen delivered an address on the influence of the musicians of Pennsylvania on the United States. He declared that the first opera presented in the United States was at Philadelphia. He told of the musicians of the

"Keystone State" was showered with bou-

State who have become famous. Secretary J. H. McCracken read an ex haustive paper on the achievements of Penn-sylvania and her people. He declared that the State had the first law school, medical school, first newspaper, type foundry, pub lic library, locomotive, fire insurance com-pany, hospital and the first corporate banking institution. He declared that Andrew Carnegie is the greatest benefactor of the age. He pointed to the achievments of Baldwin, Cramp, Girard, Wanamaker and other well-known Pensylvanians. A motion was adopted instructing the Executive Committee to have the papers printed in pamphlet form for distribution. A light luncheon was served after the session.

The society now numbers several hundred members. Among those present last night

George D. Reynolds, D. R. Bates, E. R. George D. Reynolds, D. R. Bates, E. R. Darlington, E. S. Gubernator, James C. Travilla, Doctor E. M. Herwig, Robert Buchanan, Edward D. Coe, Thomas B. Rodgers, Doctor E. M. Miller, J. H. McCracken, W. S. Fleming, J. F. Wengler, G. P. Wiest, E. B. Seidel, B. F. Saylor, Doctor W. F. Silverwood, J. P. Vastine, the Reverend T. H. Haggerty, Doctor F. J. Minnick, H. B. Steck, Judge E. A. Noonan, August K. Phillips and Professor H: W. Owen.

ALLEGED ILLICIT DISTILLERS. Arkansas Officers Arrest Three Men and Demolish Still.

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 28.—Officers Suddeth, Akers, Robinson and Bryan returned to this city this afternoon with Joe Cockman, Joe Reed and William Blackenship, alleged illicit distillers, who were arrested in Perry County on a charge of operating an illicit distillery. The officers destroy, I a still of fifty-gallons capacity and a number of mash tubs.

The prisoners were placed in the county jail to await their preliminary examination to-morrow morning before Commissioner Henry Cohn.

"SLICK" SLATER IS AFRAID.

Appeals to Atchison Court for Change of Venue From Topeka.

Atchison, Kas., Feb. 28.-The parents of 'Slick" Slater, the man in jail here on the charge of assaulting Miss Gerberick in Topeka, a few days ago, visited him here today, and tried to make arrangements to day, and tried to make arrangements to secure for him a change of venue to Hutch-inson. They are afraid he will be the victim of a mob if he returns to Topeka. It is thought that the change of venue may be secured, but, in any event, Slater will have to be taken back to Topeka to answer the charge.

CITIES WITHOUT MAYORS.

Ripper Bill Passes Lower House in Pennsylvania.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 28.-The measur known as the Pittsburg "Ripper" bill passed finally in the House this afternoon, and will now go to the Governor for his approval.

The bill provides a new charter for the cities of Pittsburg, Allegheny and Scranton, abolishes the office of Mayor and creates that of City Recorder, who shall be appointed by the Governor.

Busy Bee Bargain Day To-Day. Black-walnut chips, 10c a pound.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 28.—The following proceedings were had in the Supreme Court today:

Reversed and remanded—Charles M. Stevens vs. W. F. Stone, Cooks County.

Applications refused—George M. Dilley & Son vs. Freedman & Bro. et al., Cherokee County;

L. W. Andrews vs. Union Central Life Insurance Company, McLeman County.

Application dismissed for want of jurisdiction—Albert T. Lincoin vs. Hugh Waddell et al., Harris County. FEPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 28.—Unheeding the protest of free, organized labor and over the heads of its Committee on State Affairs, the House this morning by a vote of 67 to 39 passed the bill opening up the Penitentiary coal mines to the wagon trade. There was a stiff fight put up over the passage of the bill by Representatives and friends of organized labor. The putting of convict labor in competition with free labor is the kernel of the whole thing, and it is expected that the Senate will give this question more serious consideration when the bill comes up there.

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Nervous disorders are aggravated by heavy, pasty or harsh, burned grain foods. Granola is thoroughly cooked, sterilized and digested. It is ready for instant use. Eat Granola and Live. Live well and be well while you live. Every package of granine Granols bears a picture of the Battle Creek Sanitarium. Sold by all grocers. Beware of imitations.

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SUGGESTIONS FOR TABLE AND KITCHEN.

"When the runner loses breath he must stop; when the thrower's arm grows weary he must rest."

The great majority, who are not prompted

The great majority, who are not prompted by religious principles to fast at this season, would do well to heed the signals by which nature gives fair warning of the necessity of obeying her laws. The laws of nature are the laws of God, and we cannot ruthlessly disregard them without suffering the inevitable consequences.

We will find that the change from the heavy animal foods we have so long in-We will find that the have so long in-dulged in will greatly influence our spirits as well as our bodily health, and we will be able to rejoice with every other living thing when nature bestows her sweetest smiles and charms us anew with her freshness

and charms us anew with her freshness and newness.

Fish is, of course, the chief substitute for meat during Lent, and potatoes seem to be the natural and most acceptable vegetable accompaniment. At this season our homegrown potatoes are in the poorest condition and need special care in preparing for the table. One of the nicest ways of preparing them is to pare and with a vegetable scoop, which can be obtained for a few cents, cut out little round balls. Throw these into cold water and let them freshen up until crisp. Cover again with cold water, adding salt, and boil until they are tender. Drain and dress with cream sauce or melted butter and parsley minced fine. You can readily pass these off as small new potatoes if you cut them carefully.

To Fry Smelts.

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A Lenten Dish. Boil six eggs for at least twenty minutes, then chill in cold water and peel. Separate the whites from the yolks; cut whites in narrow strips and fry a golden brown in clarified butter or oll. Add half a cupful of Swiss or Parmesan cheese shaved fine, about half a cupful of cream, half a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of paprika. Simmer until the cheese is melted and blended to a smooth sauce with the cream. Heap the whites in an earthen dish, put the yolks through a vegetable press, season with salt and paprika or cayenne, mix with a few bread crumbs and melted butter; cover the egg whites with this, and bake about ten minutes in oven. Serve with spinach.

Stuffed Smelts.

Sauce Italienne.

Chop two medium-sized shallots and place in a saucepan with a level tablespoonful of butter and brown. Add a large tablespoonful of cooked lean ham cut into small cubes, four minced mushrooms, one finely minced truffle and a glass of Madeira wine and half a pint of brown stock. Cook for five minutes and serve very hot.

SPECIMEN MENUS. Thursday. BREAKFAST.

Fruit, Cream.

Cereal, Creamed Potatoes,
Hot Rolls, Coffee,
LUNCH.

Hashed Salt Beef with Eggs,
Cottage Cheese, Pop Overs,
Cereal Coffee,

DINNER Cream of Corn Soup,
Ragout of Beef, Baked Potatoes,
Creamed Turnips, Spinach,
Apple Cream,
Coffee, Friday

BREAKFAST. Cereal, Cream,
Broiled Mackerel,
Potatoes Hashed in Cream,
Rolls, Coffee, LUNCH

Toasted English Muffins, Orange Marmalade, DINNER. Potato Soup.
Boiled Haddock, Egg Sauce
wed Tomatoes, Cabbage S
Custard Souffe,
Coffee.

HOPES FOR SMOKE ABATEMENT. Rusiness Men's League Hears

Dispatches from Jefferson City were received yesterday by James Cox, secretary of the Business Men's League, declaring that favorable progress is being made in the efforts of the league to secure the passage of the smoke-abatement bill as passed by the Senate.

The league is opposed to the amendment suggested by the Manufacturers' Association calling for actual proof in every case of the applicability of some tried device for abating smoke. The league's committee holds that this would make it practically necessary to call expert testimony in every case and would involve such a heavy expenditure that it would be impossible to secure a sufficient appropriation from the Municipal Assembly to enable active work to be done. Messrs. Smith and Christic took with them cyldence that in the effort to abate the smoke in St. Louis, made a few years ago, it was conclusively demonstrated that in a vast majority of cases dense, black, and thick, gray smoke can be abated by the use of tried abaters costing from til up; also that in the case of several of the high-priced abaters the saving in the cost of fuel is so great that they are a good investment, paying for themselves in less than a year, and lasting, with but trifling expense for repairs, for an indefinite period. The league is supported in its effort to secure the enforcement of a practical smoke-abating ordinance by a very large number of manufacturers, and a petition was sent into the office yesterday and forwarded to Jefferson City for presentation to the House, bearing signatures of several manufacturers and merchants. From Jefferson City.

FATHER BRENNAN ON NEW STAR

Does Not Believe It Is the "Star of Rethlehem." The Reverend Martin S. Brennan, the well-known priest and astronomer of this city, yesterday expressed his opinion that the recently discovered star, now being discussed by astronomers, is not the one designated as "The Star of Bethlehem," but that it is some star heretofore un-

Father Brennan stated that the Star of Father Brennan stated that the Star of Bethlehem is known as Tycho Brahe's star, and that it has remained visible for sixteen months by day as well as by night, burning with intense brilliancy. The new star, he said, is not in a portion of the heaven where Tycho Brahe's star would reapper and that the new heavenly body is what is known as a temporary star.

"There are stars which have periods of superior brilliancy," said Father Brennar, "and this star may be one of them. It is 'n the second magnitude now, but may decificate to tenth magnitude, in which case it may disappear altogether."

Alto Pass Residence Destroyed. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Alto Pass, Ill., Feb. 28.—The resides
City Marshal John Collins was burned
this morning.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.